

Annual Report

OF THE

TOWN OF HOLDERNESS

FOR THE

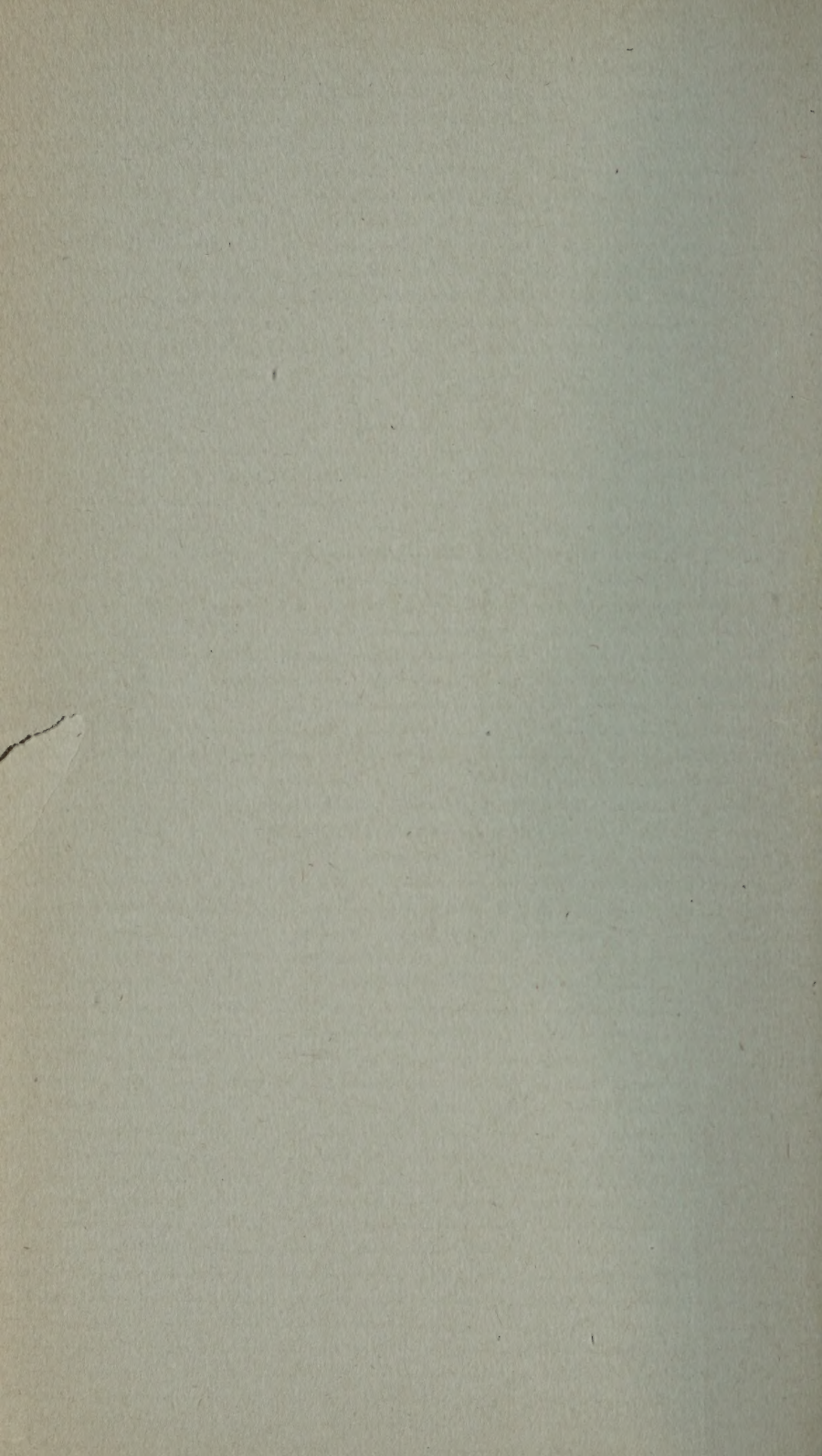
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1906.

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INVENTORY.

April 1, 1905.

190 Polls,	\$19,000 00
220 Horses,	9,176 00
46 Oxen,	2,530 00
290 Cows,	6,144 00
137 Neat Stock,	2,482 00
78 Sheep,	238 00
40 Fowls,	16 00
12 Carriages,	850 00
Stock in corporations,	526 00
Money at interest,	16,000 00
Stock in trade,	13,310 00
Mills and machinery,	250 00
Resident land and buildings,	183,958 00
Non-resident land and buildings,	121,980 00
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	\$376,460 00

REPORT.

Taxes assessed for all purposes,	\$8,282 10
State tax,	\$ 590 75
County tax,	653 04
School money required by law,	1,042 50
Amount voted by town for schools,	500 00
Amount of highway tax,	3,764 60
Town expenses,	500 00
Library,	30 00
Cemetery,	10 00
Scholars attending high school,	80 00
Decorating sailors' and soldiers' graves,	10 00
Text books and supplies,	250 00
School house repair money,	175 00
To build new highway,	425 00
Overlay,	251 21
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	\$8,282 10

Schools.

Amount required by law,	\$1,042 50
Amount voted by town,	500 00
Dog tax,	117 60
Literary fund,	76 45
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	\$1,736 55
Paid to district treasurer,	\$1,736 55

School house repair money,	\$175 00
Paid district treasurer,	175 00
Text books and supplies,	\$250 00
Paid district treasurer,	250 00
Amount raised for decorating sailors' and soldiers' grayes,	\$10 00
Paid Penniman Post,	10 00
Amount raised for library,	\$30 00
Paid R. P. Curry, trustee,	30 00
Cemetery,	\$10 00
Amount raised 1903 and 1904,	200 00
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	\$210 00
Paid F. W. George, superintendent,	210 00
Amount raised for high school tuition,	\$80 00
Received from state treasurer,	24 08
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	\$104 08
Amount paid for scholars to attend high schools,	\$219 00

Highways.

Amount raised for highways, 1905,	\$3,764 60
Balance due from 1904,	734 18
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	\$4,498 78
Orders paid to Frank G. Cummings,	\$ 113 01
Perley E. Shaw,	329 36
Ai T. Carr,	114 57
Smith C. Worthen,	5 00
Warren Ames,	97 60
H. A. Moulton,	173 20
Allen L. Howe,	500 78
J. W. Pulsifer,	120 30

Orders paid to John H. Evans, jr.,	\$ 424 42
G. B. M. Wallace,	76 30
Horace T. Greenleaf,	118 52
Wm. B. Lowe,	144 73
N. B. Boynton,	67 69
J. O. Scruton,	192 10
C. H. Morrill,	110 29
John H. Perkins,	254 68
Chas. L. Densmore,	60 85
N. B. Cox,	44 42
C. G. Burleigh,	21 55
Henry Dorr,	50 00
E. C. Bennett,	6 75
Chas. R. Cox,	114 55
Town Campton, Livermore bridge,	4 17
Zelda Felch, watering trough,	3 00
M. M. Sargent, watering trough,	3 00
Walter W. Smith, "	2 00
Mrs. M C. Mudgett, "	2 00
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	\$3,154 84
Amount set aside for permanent improvements,	522 00
Balance for repair of highway,	821 94
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	\$4,498 78

Taxes Paid.

State tax,	\$590 75
County tax,	653 04
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Amount raised to build new highway and land damages,	425 00
Paid Chas. R. Cox,	425 00

Salaries of Town Officers.

1905.

James Sargent, supervisor,	\$ 6 00
Harry E. Leavitt, supervisor,	6 00
Fred W. George, supervisor,	6 00

Geo. B. M. Wallace, constable and health officer,	\$ 7 00
John H. Evans, health officer,	5 00
Sadie J. Perkins, librarian,	40 00
Winnie Willoughby, school board,	25 00
John H. Perkins, school board,	25 00
John H. Perkins overseer of poor,	28 50
R. P. Curry, district clerk,	5 00
R. P. Curry, district treasurer,	10 00
R. P. Curry, town clerk and treasurer,	60 00
John H. Evans, truant officer,	10 00
Ara M. Jones, truant officer,	10 00
M. M. Sargent, selectman,	70 00
M. M. Sargent, janitor,	5 00
Charles A. Haskell, selectman,	65 00
Charles R. Cox, selectman,	65 00
Warren J. Pulsifer, collector,	85 00
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	\$533 50

Miscellaneous Expenses.

Note and interest,	\$611 50
John H. Perkins, pauper bills and aid of soldiers,	520 45
Printing town reports, 1904,	28 00
Printing check lists,	4 62
Edson C. Eastman, collector's warrant,	1 70
C. J. Ayer, insurance,	21 50
Edson C. Eastman, order book,	2 00
Wood and rent, library,	12 25
Geo. B. M. Wallace, supplies,	50
Fred W. George, hand cuffs,	4 00
Plymouth Electric Light Co.,	4 25
Robert P. Curry, reporting vital statistics,	9 60
" drawing and notifying jurors,	3 00
" postage and stationery,	1 30
" reporting 181 births, marriages and deaths, from 1768 to 1834,	9 05
R. P. Curry, rent of library from Feb. 1 to April, 1905,	3 00
Curtis G. Burleigh, supplies,	50
John H. Evans, Jr., supplies,	1 00

M. M. Sargent, board town officers,	\$ 18 25
" horse feed,	2 00
" expense to Concord,	3 00
Warren J. Pulsifer, tax bills and postage,	5 62
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	\$1,267 09

SELECTMEN IN ACCOUNT WITH THE TOWN OF HOLDERNESS.

DR.

Cash in hands of treasurer, Feb. 15, 1905,	\$ 680 13
Amount of tax uncollected, Feb. 15, 1905,	545 94
Amount of tax assessed for 1905,	8,282 10
Received from state treasurer, R.R. tax,	106 92
Savings bank tax,	446 21
Literary fund,	76 45
High school tuition,	24 08
E. Gay, two bowling alleys,	8 00
Pemigewasset Nat. bank, note given,	600 00
Town clerk, dog licenses,	134 40
C. A. Haskell,	7 20
M. M. Sargent, use town hall,	26 00
" license, Comedy Co.,	3 00
E. W. Hawkins, plank,	1 50
Louis A. Brooks, bowling alley and pool and billiard tables,	16 00
State board license commissioners,	8 98
John H. Perkins,	98 92
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	\$11,065 83

CR.

Paid state tax,	\$ 590 75
County tax,	653 04
District treasurer,	1,736 55
Highways and bridges,	3,154 84
School repairs,	175 00
School supplies,	250 00
Salaries town officers,	533 50
Miscellaneous,	1,267 09

Paid New highway and land damage,	\$ 425 00
High school tuition,	219 00
Supt. of cemeteries,	210 00
Library trustee,	30 00
Soldiers' and sailors' graves,	10 00
Abatements of 1904,	5 58
" 1905,	61 60
Uncollected tax of 1905,	679 71
Cash in hands of treasurer,	1,062 17
Ed. Drew, outstanding order of 1904,	2 00
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	\$11,065 83

MARCUS M. SARGENT,
CHARLES A. HASKELL,
CHARLES R. COX,

Selectmen of Holderness.

I hereby certify that I have examined the foregoing accounts of the selectmen, town treasurer, highway surveyors, overseer of the poor, superintendent of cemetery, tax collector and library trustee for the year ending Feb. 15, 1906, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched for.

LAWRENCE J. WEBSTER,

Auditor.

Financial Statement.

1904-5

ASSETS.

Uncollected tax of 1905,	\$679 71
Due from county,	219 77
Cash in hands of treasurer,	1,062 17
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	\$1,961 65

LIABILITIES.

Due highways, general repairs,	\$821 94
Due highways, permanent improvements,	522 00
Due town Plymouth, lighting bridge,	15 00
Balance in favor of town,	602 71
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	\$1,961 65

Road Agents.

F. G. CUMMINGS.

1905. Received from town,	\$113 01
Paid T. E. Hawkins,	4 10
H. S. Buzzell,	3 75
F. E. Barker,	6 75
J. S. Ladd,	3 30
J. W. Clark,	7 18
H. Landrock,	30
L. Pike,	1 75
R. B. Piper,	45
F. G. Cummings,	44 53
L. Pike,	4 50
C. L. Reynolds,	4 00
A. M. Huckins,	12 00
C. G. Burleigh,	75
O. P. Smith,	12 00
H. S. Buzzell,	6 15
Edward Smith,	1 50
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	\$113 01

HENRY A. MOULTON.

Received,	\$173 20
1905.	
Paid C. H. Morrill,	11 30
Arthur Farmer,	19 82
S. T. Evans,	6 61
Henry Lowe,	7 65
C. B. Shorey,	5 85
Chas. Greenleaf,	3 00
W. B. Smith,	6 00
Warren Ames,	3 00
Ai T. Carr,	7 80
Chas. Carr,	3 00
A. J. Brown,	2 70
Oliver P. Drew,	2 85
O. M. Pratt,	74 85
1906.	
O. M. Pratt,	2 93

Paid N. B. Sanborn, lumber,	\$ 12 91
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	\$170 27
Cash on hand to balance,	2 93
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	\$173 20

N. P. BOYNTON.

Whole amount of money received,	\$67 69
Paid Geo. H. Merrill,	4 57
Greenough Smith,	1 45
John G. Moulton,	3 97
Smith C. Worthen,	7 00
Horace Hill,	10 15
H. C. Smith,	12 75
Eugene E. Merrill,	3 15
Wm. Snow,	3 15
Geo. E. Pulsifer,	2 00
N. P. Boynton,	16 50
F. E. Meserve,	3 00
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	\$67 69

JOHN H. EVANS, JR.

Received of town,	\$424 42
Paid C. W. Cummings,	3 45
J. H. Evans,	7 95
A. Dungrist,	2 25
M. S. Merrill,	2 25
Al T. Carr,	11 00
J. B. Clifford,	50 00
Charlie Carr,	4 50
Wm. Bennett,	3 00
N. B. Sanborn,	26 79
P. A. Elliott,	18 75
H. Hill,	12 00
F. S. Rowe,	24 00
S. T. Evans,	4 50
J. B. Clifford,	26 42
H. Huckins,	6 00
W. R. & Co.,	1 75

S. C. Worthen,	\$ 9-45
H. C. Smith,	9 00
E. E. Merrill,	6 00
W. Snow,	6 00
E. B. Downing,	6 00
G. H. Corliss,	4 65
A. Eastman,	39 27
P. H. Crawford,	10 04
R. W. Smith,	6 00
G. Smith,	7 50
P. A. Elliott,	3 00
Wm. H. Shaw,	3 75
J. B. Clifford,	4 50
A. Hobbs,	1 51
C. C. Shepard,	6 00
A. R. Sanborn,	6 75
A. E. Hobbs,	4 48
J. H. Evans, Jr.	11 65
N. B. Sanborn,	71 66
P. M. Johnson,	4 60
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	\$424 42

HORACE T. GREENLEAF.

Received of town of Holderness,	\$118 52
Paid William Bennett,	8 60
Harrison Mudgett,	8 10
E. M. Smith,	3 70
D. E. Wallace,	8 55
Horace Greenleaf,	13 72
Harrison Mudgett,	5 25
A. Sargent,	4 50
Horace Greenleaf,	53 90
Hughes & Brown,	3 00
D. E. Wallace,	2 90
H. T. Greenleaf	6 00
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	\$118 52

JOHN H. PERKINS.

Received from town treasurer,	\$254 68
Paid Ashley York,	6 00
T. Stevens,	14 00
Clarence Drew,	5 25
Henry B. Jewell,	1 50
John Brown,	4 50
A. L. Howe,	15 50
John H. Perkins,	14 00
C. S. Perkins,	1 50
Elmer Boynton,	7 00
L. B. Shaw,	3 50
C. R. Cox,	5 25
J. H. Perkins, team,	28 00
C. S. Perkins,	1 80
J. T. Durham,	9 75
R. P. Piper,	3 00
Bert Evans,	18 60
L. B. Shaw,	20 70
N. B. Sanborn,	19 20
Hughes & Brown,	36 20
Henry Thompson,	6 75
C. H. Roberts,	3 23
J. H. Perkins,	3 50
Clyde Eastman,	13 90
J. H. Perkins,	12 00
C R. Cox,	45
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	\$254 68

CHARLES R. COX.

BUILDING NEW HIGHWAY.

Received from town,	\$539 55
Paid Walter R. Rich, land damage,	100 00
Robert P. Curry, land damage,	1 00
A. W. Sewell,	1 00
Hester A. Currier,	1 00
Ruby Davison,	1 00
Lionel B. Shaw for labor,	59 37
Shirley Sargent, labor,	25 37
Curtis Howe, labor,	39 37

Paid Leon A. Howe, labor,	\$ 6 12
Perley E. Shaw, labor,	77 75
J. E. Boynton, labor,	42 00
John H. Perkins, labor,	43 75
Clarence Perkins,	5 20
J. Nichols, lumber,	17 45
True O. Stevens, labor,	2 00
John H. Davison, lumber,	9 40
Eugene Sturtevant, lumber,	2 60
Hughes & Brown, wire,	2 11
N. B. Whitten, powder and fuse,	2 77
Ned B. Sanborn, lumber,	9 29
Charles R. Cox, labor,	91 ⁰⁰ 00
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	\$539 55

ALLEN L. HOWE.

1905. Received of Town of Holderness,	\$500 78
Paid Clarence Perkins,	3 15
John H. Perkins,	18 35
H. E. Hall,	13 65
J. F. Durham,	1 20
C. R. Cox,	1 80
Clarence Drew,	1 65
John P. Howe,	5 25
D. B. Evans,	2 98
Frank L. Piper,	5 62
Talford Piper,	1 35
Ira M. Jones,	1 05
L. W. Mooney,	60
Mt. Livermore Estate,	8 93
Kusumpe Lumber Co.,	8 95
Curtis C. Howe,	3 45
Wesley York,	13 80
Ashley York,	15 15
Clarence Drew,	7 66
True O. Stevens,	14 45
Frank O. Marsh,	21 00
John Brown,	10 35
Geo. W. Marden,	10 80

Paid R. Preston Piper,	\$ 9 75
Allen Brown,	15 15
Wm. T. Page,	12 45
Rodney Evans,	15 15
F. P. Jordan,	1 65
Lewis H. Lowe,	1 95
Clarence S. Perkins,	2 25
Henry Thompson,	1 00
Leon Howe,	16 65
Henry B. Jewell,	5 20
Hughes & Brown,	3 51
Arthur Currier,	1 50
John H. Perkins,	10 80
James B. Clifford,	72 96
Allen Brown,	5 56
M. L. Huckins,	1 50
Rodney Evans,	2 86
D. B. Evans,	2 00
Allen L. Howe,	144 30
Rodney Evans,	75
Wm. T. Page,	2 65
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	\$500 78

J. O. SCRUTON.

Received from the treasurer,	\$192 10
1905.	
Paid Albin Greener.	\$ 1 50
J. O. Scruton,	13 39
O. E. Burns,	2 11
Charles W. Piper,	5 00
F. M. Hilliard,	12 75
L. E. Ethridge,	5 00
Matthew C. Piper,	10 00
L. G. Bush,	4 45
J. O. Scruton,	12 80
Charles M. Brown,	62
M. C. Piper,	15 00
L. E. Ethridge,	13 90
Alphonso Brown,	9 00
C. W. Piper,	10 00
J. O. Scruton,	51 48

1906.

Paid O. E. Burns,	\$ 2 25
M. C. Piper,	6 00
L. E. Ethridge,	2 25
Albin Greener,	1 50
L. G. Bush,	75
J. O. Scruton.	12 35
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	\$192 10

CHARLES H. MORRILL.

Received from town,	110 29
Paid Chas. H. Morrill,	15 45
Horace Hill,	12 25
Henry C. Smith,	10 80
Wm. H. Shaw,	4 80
Smith C. Worthen,	14 50
S. T. Evans,	10 35
H. N. Huckins,	6 90
C. L. Tarlson,	6 90
Horace Hill,	2 40
Chas. H. Morrill,	12 55
Henry C. Lowe,	1 50
Oliver P. Drew,	4 05
N. B. Sanborn, lumber,	7 84
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	\$110 29

CURTIS G. BURLEIGH.

Received from town,	\$21. 55
Paid D. W. Eastman,	\$3 60
N. B. Cox,	75
J. W. Clark,	7 42
C. G. Burleigh,	9 78
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	\$21 55

PERLEY E. SHAW.

Received from town,	\$329 36
Paid James Benton,	1 20
J. H. Eyans,	2 00
Wyman G. Drew,	1 50

Paid Wm. Bennett,	\$12 10
Eugene Merrill,	5 25
Wm. Lowe,	5 25
D. W. Curry,	1 50
Oliver P. Drew,	10 00
W. G. Drew,	3 00
Frank S. Smith,	18 00
Frank P. Stevens,	3 00
Wm. Bennett,	6 00
Smith C. Worthen,	6 00
Wm. H. Shaw,	4 65
Al T. Carr,	12 80
O. P. Drew,	10 70
W. G. Drew,	2 25
O. P. Drew,	2 55
Smith C. Worthen,	3 25
W. B. Smith,	14 80
Frank Smith,	8 00
Wm. Bennett,	3 65
N. B. Sanborn,	10 40
Warren Ames,	6 47
Chas. S. Greenleaf,	5 25
Chick & Fogg,	90
M. L. Huckins,	3 15
Warren Ames,	7 00
H. B. Jewell,	8 75
Frank S. Smith,	10 00
Al. T. Carr,	1 65
Chas. Carr,	3 00
Smith C. Worthen,	3 00
John H. Eyans,	1 00
M. L. Huckins,	3 70
J. E. Sanborn,	2 56
G. H. Burke,	1 25
Hughes & Brown,	9 38
G. H. Corliss,	38
G. H. Burke,	25
Perley E. Shaw, damage to plow,	5 00
Perley E. Shaw,	109 42
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	\$329 36

CHAS. L. DENSMORE.

Received from town,	\$60 85
Paid C. G. Piper,	21 00
A. W. Ham,	7 50
Albin Greeno,	1 50
John T. St. Clair,	8 00
Joseph Izart,	8 25
Chas. L. Densmore,	14 60
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	\$60 85

WARREN AMES.

Received from town,	\$97 60
Paid Warren Ames,	16 90
Chas. S. Greenleaf,	18 15
D. W. Ames,	6 60
W. B. Smith,	4 00
W. B. Smith,	8 85
Ai T. Carr,	3 50
Smith C. Worthen,	3 50
Warren Ames,	6 25
Charles S. Greenleaf,	9 00
D. W. Ames,	4 50
Chas. S. Greenleaf,	7 50
Warren Ames,	8 85
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	\$97 60

AI T. CARR.

Received from town, 1905.	\$114 57
Paid Eugene Merrill,	1 20
Wm. Shaw,	1 20
W. B. Smith,	3 20
Oliver P. Drew,	1 20
Warren Ames,	1 40
Emery Downing,	3 45
Tilden Eyans,	2 70
Smith C. Worthen,	2 80
Wm. Shaw,	1 20
Wm. Bennett,	1 20
Perley E. Shaw,	10 00

Paid Ai T. Carr,	\$14 55
Chas. A. Carr,	7 30
Ai T. Carr'	15 25
Chas. F. Drew,	3 22
Charles A. Carr,	4 75
Emery Downing,	4 43
Ai T Carr,	10 50
Oliver P. Drew,	45
N. B. Sanborn, lumber,	24 57
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	\$114 57

WILLIAM B. LOWE,

Received of town,	\$144 73
Paid D. B. Evans,	2 25
J. P. Howe,	2 25
L. W. Mooney,	2 25
C. M. Drew,	1 50
E. C. Lowe,	3 25
L. G. Lowe,	98
A. L. Howe,	3 00
E. E. Willoughby,	10 20
S. E. Marston,	10 50
W. B. Lowe,	4 75
C. A. Howe,	2 25
L. G. Lowe,	6 60
E. C. Lowe,	19 30
C. M. Drew,	2 25
W. T. Page,	6 75
R. P. Piper,	6 00
T. O. Stevens,	5 25
R. Evans,	75
A. L. Howe,	5 25
L. Howe,	75
John Brown,	2 25
Allen Brown,	75
Ashley York,	75
H. B. Jewell,	2 25
W. B. Lowe,	19 75
J. H. Perkins,	6 25
C. G. Lowe,	1 80

Paid Hughes & Brown,	\$ 3 54
W. B. Lowe,	4 75
H. J. Bennett,	75
S. E. Marston,	60
Perley Annis,	1 ^r 20
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	\$140 72
Balance on hand,	4 00
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	\$144 73

GEORGE B. M. WALLACE.

Received from town,	\$76 30
Paid George B. M. Wallace,	76 30

NATHAN B. COX.

Received from town,	\$44 42
Paid Nathan B. Cox,	44 42

J. W. PULSIFER.

1905.

Received of town,	\$120 30
Paid G. E. Pulsifer,	7 80
Harry Wheeler,	2 50
John M. Pulsifer,	8 55
Perley A. Elliott,	11 50
J. W. Pulsifer,	13 15
A. W. Smith,	7 50
Ernest Sawyer,	75
Joseph Butler,	3 22
John M. Pulsifer,	6 50
W. O. Wheeler,	2 25
Almore W. Smith,	1 50
J. W. Pulsifer,	29 71
Frank W. Ellison,	12 22
N. B. Sanborn & Co.,	2 65
Perley A. Elliott,	1 50
John H. Hilliard,	90
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	\$120 30

Collector's Report.

J. W. PULSIFER IN ACCOUNT WITH TOWN OF HOL-
DERNESS.

DR.	
To amount uncollected taxes of 1904,	\$545 94
CR.	
By paid R. P. Curry, town treasurer,	\$540 36
By abatements,	5 58
	\$545 94

1905.

DR.	
Whole amount resident and non-resident taxes committed to me for collection,	\$8,282 10
CR.	
By paid R. P. Curry, treasurer,	\$7,540 79
By abatements and over-tax,	61 60
By amount uncollected Feb. 15, 1906,	679 71
	\$8,282 10

Respectfully submitted.

J. W. PULSIFER, Collector.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

DR.	
To cash to balance from last year,	\$680 13
Received of M. M. Sargent, license fees Comedy Co.,	3 00
" Use of town hall,	26 00
" Plank sold,	1 50
" State R. R. tax,	106 92
" Savings bank tax,	446 21
" Literary fund,	76 45
" High school tuition,	24 08
C. R. Cox, bowling alley license fees,	8 00
C. A. Haskell, billiard license fees,	16 00
State board of license commissioners,	8 98
Pemigewasset Nat'l bank, on note,	600 00
Town clerk, dog license fees,	134 40
C. A. Haskell, for oak lumber,	7 20
John H. Perkins, check,	98 92
J. W. Pulsifer, collector year 1904,	540 36
" " for 1905,	7,540 79
	\$10,318 94

CR.

Paid on town orders,	\$ 9,256 77
Cash on hand to balance,	1,062 17
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	\$10,318 94

Respectfully submitted,

R. P. CURRY,

Town Treasurer.

Report Overseer Poor.

Received of town,	\$ 520 45
Balance of last year,	33 27
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	\$553 72
Paid J. C. Huckins, M.D., care J. W. Clark,	\$ 45 00
" " care Cora M. Gault,	26 40
M. L. Huckins, 4 bushels potatoes for Mrs. Samuel Berry,	2 40
Smith Piper, supplies for Mrs. Samuel Berry,	32 78
James Benton, care Cora M. Gault,	10 00
Smith Piper, supplies for Mrs. Samuel Berry,	26 63
J. H. Perkins, expenses taking Cora M. Gault to Haverhill,	4 04
N. B. Whitten, supplies for Mrs. Samuel Berry,	42 56
J. H. Perkins, 4 cords wood for Mrs. Berry,	16 00
Chas. Roberts, wood furnished the Misses Cox,	3 50
Town Campton, care LaForest Mitchell,	230 03
Smith Piper supplies for Mrs. Berry,	12 08
Smith Piper, supplies for the Misses Cox,	3 38
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	\$454 80
Paid town treasurer to balance,	98 92
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	\$553 72
Due from county,	\$219 77
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Expense of town charges,	\$230 03
Expense of county charges,	92 32
Expense of Mrs. Samuel Berry, family of dependent soldier,	132 45
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	\$454 80

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN H. PERKINS, Overseer.

Librarian's Report.

Balance from last year,	\$1 93
Received from fines, etc.,	5 15
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Expended,	3 48
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Balance on hand,	\$3 60
Books purchased during 1905,	29
Given by C. S. DeForest,	48
Mrs. Sabine,	10
Others,	9
Have just received 50 new books and more are ordered, but not yet shipped.	
Circulation for 1905,	851
Paid for books just received,	\$34 27
To be expended for second order,	11 73

SADIE J. PERKINS, Librarian.

Library Trustee's Report.

DR.

Balance on hand from last year,	\$84 66
Received from town for year 1905,	30 00
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CR.

1905.

Paid Temple & Farrington for books,	\$ 25 00
For transportation of books,	40
For Ladies' Home Journal and Saturday Evening Post,	2 25
Lumber for shelves,	2 40
Labor for building shelves,	2 50
Sundries,	71

1906.

Temple & Farrington, books,	46 00
Cash on hand to balance,	35 40

\$114 66

Respectfully submitted,

R. P. CURRY, Trustee.

REPORT OF FRED W. GEORGE, SUPERINTENDENT OF CEMETERY.

Received from town of Holderness,	\$210 00
Harry Leavitt, for stone,	1 00
Fred L. Perkins, for fence,	3 00
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	\$214 00
Paid to J. N. Nichols, lumber,	\$41 96
John B. Varick, iron, etc.,	10 89
" "	9 18
Freight on iron,	1 26
John B. Varick, paint,	11 20
Harry Hilliard, labor,	31 70
Chick & Fogg,	12 72
E. W. Sanborn, gasoline and lead,	4 50
F. W. George,	29 50
Chas Roberts, freight,	30
Benj. Dean,	25
Hughes & Brown, hardware,	3 76
Elmer Lowe, labor,	10 88
L. W. Mooney, labor,	7 00
M. M. Sargent,	2 55
N. B. Whitten, oil and paint,	3 24
Allen Howe, labor and lumber,	8 00
Edwin Drew, ditto,	2 25
J. S. Davison, lumber,	2 00
Shirley Sargent, labor,	4 50
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	\$197 64
Feb. 15, balance on hand,	16 36
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	\$214 00

District Treasurer's Report.

Dr.

To cash to balance from last year,	\$ 50 61
Received of John H. Perkins, bal. repair money	
from last year,	10 25
Received from Sandwich, tuition money,	30 18

Received from town treasurer, orders from select-	
men,	\$2,161. 55
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	\$2,252 59

C.R.

Paid orders of school board,	\$2,063 01
Cash on hand to balance,	189 58
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	\$2,252 59

Respectfully submitted,

R. P. CURRY, District Treasurer.

Report of Board of Education.

All schools have been in session twenty six weeks. For the spring term it was necessary to run the Beede School as the Carr was too crowded to admit of consolidation. For the Fall term we were able to accommodate all the scholars of the Beede district in the Carr school house.

The teachers at all the Schools appeared thoroughly interested in their work and so far as we know good results have been obtained in most if not all the schools. All of the older scholars entered into the prize essay competition with much enthusiasm and produced some very good compositions. The first prize was awarded to Albert Farmer, the second to Isabel Smith.

Mr. L. F. Shaw was engaged to teach music during the spring term. It was intended that the scholars should study and practice their music as diligently as any of their lessons, but we regret to say that in some schools this was not done. We are unable to say whether this lack of interest was due to the teachers or to the scholars. We should like to make another trial and think if we can have the hearty co-operation of scholars and parents we can make it a success.

It is certainly very gratifying to have had ten scholars enter the high school during the year and it is to be hoped that all who are able will embrace the opportunity now given them for obtaining a higher education.

We strongly recommend that the town authorize the school board to make some arrangement for expert supervision of the schools. By the employment of an experienced educator we can

do more towards advancing the standard of our schools than in any other way with a like expenditure of money. We can acquire the service of an expert superintendent in one of two ways without being obliged to pay for his entire time.

First: By employing someone near by who has other duties in the same line.

Second: By combining with two or three adjacent towns.

In the latter case the State will pay one half the superintendent's salary provided the combined supervisory district employs not less than twenty nor more than sixty teachers.

The roof of the East Holderness school house has been shingled, a new chimney built, the ceiling sheathed and the interior painted. When getting ready to paint the plaster on the ceiling was found to be in such bad condition that it was necessary to remove it. Sheathing was put up in place of the plaster, as being cheaper and better under the circumstances. After the plaster had been removed, the chimney support was found to be unsafe, so a new chimney was built, starting from a solid foundation on the ground.

The Beede house has been clapboarded and painted on the outside. The foundation of the Greenleaf house has been pointed up and the lower part clapboarded.

By enlarging the Carr school house, the Greenleaf, Beede and Carr districts might be consolidated to advantage, if satisfactory arrangements could be made for conveying the Greenleaf scholars. It would be advisable to enlarge the Carr school house, even if only the present number of seats were to be occupied, as the floor space per pupil is much less in this school than in any other in town. We should like to see more comfortable seats in the True, Bridge, East Holderness and Elm school houses, all these houses having the old benches. The seats in the Carr house, although of more modern style, are many of them too small for the scholars.

The schools are greatly in need of reference books and tables and one or two of the houses need additional blackboards. The balance of the supply money can be used to advantage for these purposes.

LAWRENCE J. WEBSTER,
WINNIE L. WILLOUGHBY,
JOHN H. PERKINS,

School Board of Holderness.

REPORT SCHOOL YEAR ENDING AUG. 1, 1905.

ELM SCHOOL—Miss Susie Hall, teacher both terms. First term, roll of honor: Persis Merrill, Isabel Smith, Lola Wheeler, John Merrill, Harry Wheeler. Second term, Gladys Dinsmore, Bertha Hill, Lola Wheeler, Ruby Hill, Persis Merrill, Bertha Merrill, Hattie Wheeler, John Merrill, James Merrill, Harry Wheeler.

BEEDE—First term, Miss Anna Stevens, teacher; second term, Miss Sarah Stevens.

CARR—Miss Zulette Potter, teacher both terms. Roll of honor: First term, Vera M. Worthen; Second term, Ida Drew, Alice Stevens, Myrtie Stevens, Vera M. Worthen.

GREENLEAF—First term, Miss Sarah Stevens, teacher. Second term, Miss Irene Shaw. Roll of honor: Henry Ames, Willie Ames.

BRIDGE—Mrs. Winnie Willoughby, teacher both terms. Roll of honor: First term, Olive Byons, Edith Sargent. Second term, Edith Farmer, Albert Farmer, Ethel M. Cox, Mary Roberts, Floyd Doe Perkins, Mildred Tupper, Flo M. Morton, Agnes Howe, Chas. A. Howe, Susie Wood, Russel Wood, Olive Evans.

COXBORO—First term, Mrs. A. Follett, teacher. Roll of honor: William Provost, Gertrude Clark, Mildred Clark. Second term, Miss Alice Eastman, teacher.

EAST HOLDERNESS—Mrs. Abbie Barker, teacher both terms. Roll of honor: First term, Nettie Helms, Claude Stanley, Herbert Barker, Francis Barker. Second term, Florence Piper, Francis Piper, Gertrude Greener.

TRUE—Teachers first term, Miss Florence A. Gibbs, Mrs. A. E. Horner. Roll of honor: Leona Flanders. Second term, Miss Anna Stevens, teacher. Roll of honor: Agnes Sargent, Bertha Greenleaf, Howard Greenleaf.

SCHOOL SUPPLY ACCOUNT.

1905.

Raised by vote of town,	\$250 00
Paid Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	20 44
Lothrop, Lee & Shepard Co., text book records,	4 20
American Book Company, geographies and geographical readers,	70 69
Silver, Burdette & Co., primers and civil government books,	17 20

Paid Edward E. Babb & Co., supplies,	\$ 6 00
J. L. Hammett Co., supplies,	12 76
Ginn & Co., arithmetics, histories and writ- ing books,	20 33
Geo. P. Brown & Co., cards,	2 00
Geo. F. King & Co., supplies,	6 05
Geo. A. Beal, cards and merits,	3 70
N. B. Whitten, supplies,	13 05
D. C. Heath & Co., books,	9 47
Thompson, Brown & Co., blanks,	2 09
Balance in hands of treasurer,	60 02
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	\$250 00

SCHOOL REVENUE.

1905.	
Balance from treasurer, 1904,	\$ 50 61
Amount required by law,	1,042 50
Voted by town in excess of above,	500 00
Literary fund,	76 45
Dog licenses,	117 60
Tuition received from Sandwich,	30 18
Balance 1904 permanent repairs,	10 25
Permanent repairs,	175 00
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	\$2,002 59

TEACHERS' SALARIES.

Zulette Potter, 10 weeks, Carr, and expenses from Boston, \$3.71,	\$ 83 71
Anna L. Stevens, 10 weeks, True school,	75 00
Sarah Stevens, 10 weeks, Beede school,	65 00
Susie Hall, 10 weeks, Elm school,	90 00
Irene Shaw, 10 weeks, Greenleaf school,	65 00
M. Alice Eastman, 10 weeks, Coxboro school,	65 00
Winnie L. Willoughby, 10 weeks, Bridge,	80 00
Abbie I. Barker, 10 weeks, E. Holderness,	75 00
L. F. Shaw, music teacher,	51 00
M. Alice Eastman, 16 weeks, Coxboro,	104 00
Abbie I. Barker, 16 weeks, E. Holderness,	120 00

Winnie L. Willoughby, 16 weeks, Bridge,	\$128 00
Susie Hall, 16 weeks, Carr,	128 00
Abbie L. Follett, 16 weeks, Elm,	128 00
Grace E. Wallace, 16 weeks, Greenleaf,	104 00
Anna L. Stevens, 16 weeks, True,	120 00

\$1,481 71

PERMANENT REPAIRS.

EAST HOLDERNESS SCHOOL HOUSE.

G. B. M. Wallace, labor,	\$12 35
G. N. Nichols, shingles, etc.,	23 80
Ira M. Jones, hauling lumber,	3 50
W. G. & I. H. Chase, pine sheathing,	13 50
N. B. Whitten, paint, etc.,	11 04
L. W. Mooney, carpenter work,	18 00
L. B. Shaw, painting,	5 00
Hughes & Brown, hardware, etc.	3 92
J. H. Perkins, hauling lumber,	4 00

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BEEDE SCHOOL HOUSE.

Perley E. Shaw, hauling material,	\$5 00
G. B. M. Wallace, labor,	10 00
W. G. & I. H. Chase, clapboards and lumber,	41 15
N. B. Whitten, paint, etc.,	7 34
L. W. Mooney, carpenter work,	10 00
L. B. Shaw, painting,	75
Hughes & Brown, oil, paint and nails,	4 10
L. W. Mooney, painting,	4 00
J. H. Perkins, labor,	4 00
E. F. Gay, painting,	1 50

\$ 87 84

MISCELLANEOUS.

FUEL, CARE, ETC.

Perley E. Shaw, cleaning Carr and load kindling,	\$ 5 00
Carrie Piper, cleaning East Holderness and Cox- boro,	4 00
Susie Evans, cleaning Beede house,	2 00
Maude Piper, work on text books,	1 00

Mrs. Henry Smith, cleaning Elm house,	\$ 1 50
Mrs. Chas. Greenleaf, cleaning Greenleaf house,	1 50
Mrs. J. P. Howe, cleaning Bridge and True houses,	4 00
Herbert Baker, fitting wood, E. Holderness,	1 00
Ira M. Jones, conveying teacher, Greenleaf school,	1 50
L. B. Shaw, kindlings, Bridge school,	1 50
N. B. Whitten, roll of honor badges,	4 80
Chas. Greenleaf, cleaning vault, kindling, Greenleaf,	2 00
A. G. Thompson, wood, Bridge school,	4 75
J. P. Howe, wood, Coxboro,	5 00
Chas. Greenleaf, ½ cord wood and banking house,	3 00
W. H. Baker, fitting wood, E. Holderness,	75
Edward Smith, wood and fitting,	1 00
Ira M. Jones, wood, East Holderness,	5 50
Henry Smith, wood, Elm,	8 25
Smith Piper, supplies,	2 90
Chas. Greenleaf, cord wood, Greenleaf,	5 00
A. L. Sargent, fitting wood, True,	75
J. H. Perkins, 10 cords wood, delivered Coxboro, East Holderness, True, Bridge and Carr,	40 00
J. H. Perkins, carpenter work, etc.	9 50
Mrs. Nellie Muchmore, tuition,	9 10
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	\$125 30

ORDINARY REPAIRS.

F. E. Barker, painting, shingling, etc., Coxboro,	\$ 7 36
Winthrop Lindsey, setting glass, etc., Bridge,	60
W. G. and I. H. Chase, clapboards for Greenleaf,	6 25
N. B. Whitten, paint, etc., Greenleaf and Coxboro,	5 66
L. B. Shaw, painting Greenleaf and Carr,	4 70
W. B. Lowe, mason work, E. Holderness,	3 00
G. B. M. Wallace, pointing foundation and carpenter work, Greenleaf,	2 00
A. H. Johnson, carpenter work, E. Holderness,	1 00
Hughes & Brown, glass, putty, nails, etc.,	2 26
C. R. Cox, barrel cement, Greenleaf,	2 65
J. H. Perkins, carpenter work and hauling brick and sand,	6 00

J. N. Nichols, shingles for Greenleaf and Carr and
lumber for cupboard and shutters, \$ 41 59

\$83 07

Total miscellaneous, \$208 37

SUMMARY.

Total school revenue, \$2,002 59

Teachers' salaries, \$1,481 71

Permanent repairs, 182 95

Miscellaneous, 208 37

Balance in hands of treasurer, 127 26

" " per. repairs. 2 30

\$2,002 59 \$2002 59

I hereby certify that I have examined the accounts of School Treasurer and School Board and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

JOHN P. HOWE, Auditor.

Births Registered in the Town of Holderness for the Year Ending December 31, 1905.

Date of Birth.	Name of child (if any.)	Living or Stillborn.	No. of Children. 1, 2, etc.	Color.	Father's Name.	Mother's Maiden Name.	Color.	Residence of Parents.	Occupation of Father.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.	Age of Father.	Age of Mother.
Jan 30	Ladd	Living	3	All White.	John S. Ladd	Addie M. Smith	All White.	Holderness	Farmer	Holderness	Ashland	35	33
Jan. 30	Samuel B.	"	1	"	Herbert S. Stanley	Margaret Connell	"	"	Livery Man	Epsom	Ireland	30	28
Jan. 3	Berry	"	8	"	Samuel B. Berry	Lovisa Denny	"	"	Farmer	Holderness	Newport	70	40
Feb. 13	Harold Gault	"	1	"	Frank Cross	Cora M. Gault	Burlington Vt	Holderness	Carpenter	Holderness	Holderness	22	18
May 18	Harold F.	"	1	"	Fred L. Perkins	Emma F. Brown	Holderness	"	"	Holderness	Bridgewater	22	18
May 19	Scruton	"	2	"	Joseph O. Scruton	Blanche B. Derby	"	"	Farmer	Holderness	Laconia	34	24
May 27	Ruth Porter	"	1	"	George H. Porter	Blanche B. Hilliard	"	"	Laborer	Hartford, Ct.	C'ter Harbor	34	24
June 3	Izart	"	1	"	Joseph Izart	Gertrude Baker	"	"	Gardener	Laconia	Lakeport	27	30
June 17	Baker	"	6	"	Matthew P. Baker	Callie C. Burbank	"	"	Farmer	Holderness	Campton	41	39
Aug. 13	Bright	Stillborn.	2	"	Edgar W. Bright	Frances E. Steers	Boston, Mass	Holderness	Engineer	Boston, Mass	N. Y. City	26	27
Sept. 13	Norman W.	Living	1	"	Matthew C. Piper	Ethel F. Merrill	Holderness	"	Farmer	Holderness	"	34	19
Sept. 29	Celia M.	"	1	"	Cephas A. Dutton	Ethel M. Benton	Plymouth	"	Farmer	Holderness	Holderness	25	16
Oct. 28	Rompney	"	3	"	Sceva Rompney	Gertrude Sawyer	Holderness	"	Laborer	Canada	Dorchester	29	20

Marriages Registered in the Town of Holderness for the Year Ending December 31, 1905.

Date of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride.	Residence of each at time of marriage.	Color of Each		Occupation of Groom and Bride.	No. times mar'd.	Place of Birth.	Names of parents.	Birthplace of Parents.	Occupation of Parents.	Name and residence of person by whom married.
			Age in Years	Age in Years							
Jan. 22	Frank E. Barker	Holderness	29	29	Mil. Hand	1	Pensauke	Edison W. Barker	Lowell, Mass.	Farmer	Rev. Justus Erskine
	Abbie I. Cummings	"	27	27	Teacher	1	Holderness	Elmira Parkinson	Hartford, Me.	Housekeeper	Meredith
Jan. 24	Matthew C. Piper	"	33	33	Farmer	1	"	Frank G. Cummings	Holderness	Farmer	Rev. Justus Erskine
	Ethel Merrill	Stoneham	18	18	Music Teacher	1	N. Y. City	Abbie H. Pease	Gilmanton	Farmer	Meredith
Feb. 12	Frank O. Marsh	Holderness	47	47	Farmer	2	Laconia	Susan M. Baker	Lowell, Mass.	Housekeeper	Meredith
	Lizzie A. Salisbury	Stonington Ct	40	40	Housekeeper	2	Stonington Ct	Francis C. Merrill	Holderness	Shoe Worker	Rev. Justus Erskine
								Annie W. Moulton	Boston, Mass.	Housewife	
								Charles G. Marsh	Laconia	Farmer	
								Chary A. Chapman	Meredith	Housewife	
								Mary A. Pattinson	England		Meredith

Deaths Registered in the Town of Holderness for the Year Ending December 31, 1905.

Date of Death.	Name.	Age			Place of Birth.	Occupation	Cause of Death.	Single, Married or Widowed.	Color.	Sex.	Name of Father.	Name of Mother.	Birthplace of Father.	Birthplace of Mother.
		Years.	Mos.	Days.										
Oct. 5	William H. Baker	72	2		Lowell, Mass	Farmer	Atrophica	M	W	M	Sullivan Baker	Susan Piper	Franklin	Holderness
Feb. 8	Ezra B. Burbank	74	5	23	Sherbrook PQ	Lumber Surv.	Senility	M	W	M	Luke Burbank	Almira George	Franklin	Hill
Feb. 5	Louy A. Mudgett	54	3	20	Manchester	Housewife	Asthemia	M	W	M	John W. Rowe	Elmira F. Pike	Holderness	Holderness
Mar. 19	Marv M. Perkins	71	3	20	Be liehem	"	Brouchitis	M	W	M	Isaac Benis	Laura Hadley	Holderness	Holderness
May 27	Lauri Cox	78	6	28	Holderness	"	Senility	M	W	M	Wm. Cummings	Rhoda Drew	Holderness	Holderness
July 27	Helei A. Moody	63	11	23	"	"	Asthemia	M	W	M	John T. Downing	Frances E. Steers	Boston, Mass.	New York City
Aug. 13	Bright				"	"	Stillborn				Elgar W. Bright			

I hereby certify that the above returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ROBERT P. CURRY Town Clerk.

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